

## March 2014 Round 5 Awards

Project Title	Applicant Org	County(ies)	Grant Award	Project Description
Inspiring Pride on the Chesapeake	Pride of Baltimore, Inc.	Statewide	125,000	Throughout the Summer of 2014, Pride of Baltimore, Inc. will offer "Inspiring Pride on the Chesapeake." From May to September Pride II will sail her home waters, providing a unique historical experience through education programs, ship tours, day sails, and, when possible, coordinated battle sails providing first-hand demonstration the maritime War of 1812.
Create Living American Flag and Enhance Elements of Public Programming	Living Classrooms Foundation, Inc.	Statewide	115,000	The Friends of Fort McHenry(FOFM), in partnership with the National Park Service Fort McHenry National Monument and Historic Shrine (NPS/FOMC), have established a goal to produce a Living American Flag event on Tuesday, September 9, 2014. This proposal will support the National Park Service and its partners in the production of the largest living "Star-Spangled Banner" flag ever created and improvements to elements of the public programming.
Finding Freedom: Educational Outreach on the African American Experience during the War of 1812 in Maryland	Friends of the Maryland State Archives, Inc.	Statewide	75,000	The Friends of the Maryland State Archives will engage professional archivists and educators as consultants to develop and publish six online Documents for the Classroom packets for the study of Maryland in the War of 1812 using primary resources that teachers can bring directly into their lesson plans.

Inspiring Engagement: Expanded Audiences for the Star-Spangled 200	Reginald F. Lewis Museum of African American History and Culture	Baltimore City	22,500	A series of programming developed in conjunction with the museum's exhibition <i>For Whom It Stands: The Flag and the American People</i> , which will engage visitors in the history and representation of the United States flag, the national anthem and the War of 1812 by bringing greater awareness to diverse stories of the American experience.
Fort McHenry Boat Tour Sound System Installation and Operations Support	Living Classrooms Foundation, Inc.	Baltimore City	22,500	Living Classrooms Foundation will contract in 2014 with the Baltimore Water Taxi as the operator for year two of the Fort McHenry Boat Tour, a 40-minute interpretive on-water tour focusing on the British bombardment of Fort McHenry, the position of British ships, the location of Francis Scott Key as he witnessed the bombardment, and his inspiration for the writing of "The Star-Spangled Banner."
Star-Spangled Virtual Education Experience	Maryland Public Broadcasting Commission	Statewide	15,000	MPT and a partnership of War of 1812 educational institutions seek planning funds to explore the feasibility of supporting War of 1812 educational initiatives by developing a virtual experience of the Star-Spangled Banner National Historic Trail.

Defenders Day at North Point	Dundalk Patapsco Neck Historical Society and Museum, Inc.	Baltimore County	35,000	To increase the current two-day event into three. The Defenders Day Commemoration at North Point will take place on the weekend of September 6 and 7, and on Monday evening, September 8, the North Point spectacular will come to a close with fireworks, music, and U.S. Navy Leap Frogs performing at Sparrows Point High School football field.
Somerset County Historical Society War of 1812 Bicentennial Commemorative Committee	Somerset County Historical Society, Inc.	Somerset	6,000	The “War of 1812 Bicentennial Commemorative Committee” will develop and publish a War of 1812 Lower Eastern Shore Historic Driving Guide depicting and interpreting sites and locations of significant events which took place in the Lower Three Counties. Additionally, an interpretive play using original letters of Mrs. Teackle, the mistress of the Teackle Mansion, portraying events in Somerset County and the Lower Shore during the War will be presented, and portions of the play will be used during annual local school children visits to the Teackle Mansion.
Certified Tourism Ambassador and Guide Training Program for Maryland along the Star-Spangled Banner NHT	National Park Service, Chesapeake Bay	Calvert, Charles, St. Mary’s	90,000	The National Park Service Chesapeake Bay office is proposing to work with local tourism partners to build awareness and improve visitors’ experiences along the Star-Spangled Banner National Historic Trail. To achieve these goals, a two-tiered pilot training and certification program is proposed: 1) for Certified Tourism Ambassador ©, and 2) interpretive guide training.

Interpretive Package for Broad Creek/Fort Washington Area	Anacostia Trails Heritage Area, Inc.	Prince George's	20,000	This project is to develop and install an "interpretive package" of banners, signs, brochure, and Visitor Center exhibit for the Fort Washington/Broad Creek area of Southern Prince George's County.
The Battle of Caulk's Field Bicentennial: A Walk Through Time	County Commissioners of Kent County	Kent	30,000	The County Commissioners of Kent County will provide interpretation for the bicentennial reenactment of The Battle of Caulk's Field at a two-day event August 30-31, 2014.
Digital Preservation and Geomorphic History of 1812 Earthen Forts on the Maryland Eastern Shore	University of Delaware	Kent, Queen Anne's, Talbot	20,000	Develop detailed topographic surveys of three earthen fort sites in Maryland (Fort Stokes near Easton, Fort Point near Centreville, and Fort Nonsense near Annapolis) using ground-based laser scanners, aerial imagery, and traditional soil-auguring techniques that will allow us to develop a permanent record of the erosional history and current state of these marvelous national treasures
Maryland Museum of Military History War of 1812 Bicentennial Commemoration Project	Maryland Military Historical Society, Inc.	Statewide	70,000	The Maryland Military Historical Society (MMHS) will complete second phase of a two-phased project commemorating and interpreting the role of Maryland's militia forces in the War of 1812.
Patterson Park Star-Spangled Programs and Projects	Friends of Patterson Park, Inc.	Baltimore City	100,000	The Friends of Patterson Park has developed a set of interpretive projects, capital projects, and programs to commemorate the War of 1812 in Patterson Park, with a focus on Hampstead Hill and the British land invasion of September 1814.

Raiders and Invaders	Town of Leonardtown	St. Mary's	19,000	Three-day festival highlighting the British raids of Southern Maryland during 1813 and 1814.
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